Amendment to the Abstract:

The Abstract has been amended. A revised Abstract is attached.

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The standby-time-until recording and replaying on a loaded optical disk is shortened.

An-A recording and replaying apparatus comprises-includes a drive controller 123-which is connected to an optical disk drive 110-and a disk information storage buffer 102-which stores use conditions for an optical disk 120, and when. When use conditions which correspond corresponding to identification information of the optical disk 120 to use are stored in the disk information storage buffer, the drive controller 123-instructs the optical disk drive 110-to execute first adjustment processing, whereas. Whereas when use conditions which correspond corresponding to the identification information of the optical disk 120 to use are not stored in the disk information storage buffer, the drive controller 123-instructs the optical disk drive 110-to execute second adjustment processing.